



## 1997 SENATE BILL 493

March 10, 1998 - Introduced by Senators ROSENZWEIG, C. POTTER, RUDE, JAUCH, DARLING, GROBSCHMIDT, PANZER, SHIBILSKI, ZIEN and FARROW, cosponsored by Representatives OLSEN, J. LEHMAN, GREEN, BAUMGART, MUSSER, GRONEMUS and ROBSON. Referred to Committee on Education.

1     **AN ACT to create** 20.255 (3) (ei) and 115.42 of the statutes; **relating to:** grants  
2             to teachers who are certified by the National Board for Professional Teaching  
3             Standards, granting rule-making authority and making an appropriation.

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*Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau*

This bill creates a grant program administered by the department of public instruction (DPI) for teachers who participate in the certification program of the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards. DPI may award up to 20 grants in the 1998-99 school year. Each grant is in the amount of \$2,000 in the year that the teacher successfully participates in the national board's assessment phase and, upon certification, \$2,500 per year for 8 years. The bill also directs DPI to promulgate rules to administer the grant program.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

4             **SECTION 1.** 20.005 (3) (schedule) of the statutes: at the appropriate place, insert  
5             the following amounts for the purposes indicated:

